

Willis Jr. High *Communications in History* Project

Topic: Jazz and Blues: The Expression of Culture in History

Search Terms:

Jazz, Blues, Afro-Americans – Music, Jazz and blues and culture

Encyclopedia article:

“Blues,” vol. 1; “Jazz,” vol. 11. World Book Encyclopedia. (REF 031 WORLD)

Reference works:

“Blues,” vol. 1; “Jazz,” vol. 2. *The New Grove Dictionary of Jazz*. (REF 781.6503 NEW)

Books:

Jazz: an American saga (YA 781.6509 COLLIER)

This house on fire: the story of the blues (YA 781.643 A967T)

African-American Arts: Music (YA 780.8996 M488M)

Videos/DVD:

Jazz, video series from PBS (781.65 JAZZ)

Websites:

Hypermusic: History of Jazz. <www.hypermusic.ca/jazz/mainmenu.html> A brief history of the development of Jazz, including history of Blues and short biographies of musicians.

Magazine Database Articles:

Adler, Eric. “What if...slavery as we know it never existed?” *Kansas City Star*. March 14, 1999. Online: SIRS Researcher.